Delegated Decision Notice

This form is the written record of a key, significant operational or administrative decision taken by an officer.

Decision type	Key Decision	Significant		Administrative		
		Operational Decision		Decision		
Approximate	Below £500,000	below £25,000		below £25,000		
value	£500,000 to £1,000,000	25,000 to £100,000		£25,000 to £100,000		
	over £1,000,000	⊠ £100,000 t	o £500,000			
		Over £500	,000			
Director ¹	The Director of Communities, Housing and Environment					
Contact person:	Nick Hart	Telephone		number: 07712214916		
Subject ² :	CCTV in Community Hubs and Libraries					
Decision	What decision has been taken?					
details ³ :	(Set out all necessary decisions to be taken by the decision taker including decisions in					
	relation to exempt information, exemption from call in etc.)					
	The Director of Communities, Housing and Environment gave approval to invest					
	£400k capital funding into a full update of the CCTV cameras/systems in place					
	across the Community hub and Library network. The new cameras will also					
	connect to Leedswatch who will monitor sites, directly respond to incidents via					
	camera audio, and also alert managers to any issues.					
	A brief statement of the reasons for the decision					
	(Include any significant financial, procurement, legal or equalities implications, having					
	consulted with Finance, PACS, Legal, HR and Equality colleagues as appropriate)					
	The recent cost of living crisis and covid pandemic have significantly increased					
	community tensions, which has resulted in an increase in the number of incidents					
	taking pace across the city.					
	This has prompted the service to conduct a comprehensive security review of					
	Community Hubs and Libraries, and it has become apparent that a significant					
	number of the current CCTV systems in our 32 sites are either in a state of					
	disrepair, have outdated technology or are poorly functioning.					
	This means that both staff a	and customers safety whilst on site is severely				

 ¹ Give title of Director with delegated responsibility for function to which decision relates.
² If the decision is key and has appeared on the list of forthcoming key decisions, the title of the decision should be the same as that used in the list ³ Simply refer to supporting report where used as these matters have been set out in detail.

	compromised.					
	Brief details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the decision					
	maker at the time of making the decision					
	There are no alternative options.					
Affected wards:	City wide					
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Details of	Executive Member					
consultation	Executive member for Communities – Mary Harland					
undertaken4:						
	Ward Councillors					
	ward Councillors					
	Chief Digital and Information Officer ⁵					
	Chief Asset Management and Regeneration Officer ⁶					
	Chief Asset Management and Regeneration Officer ⁶					
	Others					
Implementation	Officer accountable, and proposed timescales for implementation					
implementation						
	Claire Todd					
List of	Date Added to List:-					
Forthcoming						
Key Decisions ⁷	If Special Urgency or General Exception a brief statement of the reason why it is					
	impracticable to delay the decision					
	If Special Urgency Relevant Scrutiny Chair(s) approval					
	Signature Date					
Publication of						
	If not published for 5 clear working days prior to decision being taken the reason why not possible:					
report ⁸						

 ⁴ Include details of any interest disclosed by an elected Member on consultation and the date of any relevant dispensation given.
⁵ See Officer Delegation Scheme (Executive Functions) CDIO must be consulted in relation to all matters relating to the Council's use of

digital technology ⁶ See Officer Delegation Scheme (Executive Functions) CAMRO must be consulted in relation to all matters relating to the Council's

land and buildings.

 ⁷ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 2.4 - 2.6. Complete this section for key decisions only
⁸ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 3.1. Complete this section for key decisions only

	If published late relevant Executive member's approval					
	Signature		Date			
Call In	Is the decision available ⁹ for call-in?	Yes		No No		
	If exempt from call-in, the reason why call-in would prejudice the interests of the council or the public:					
Approval of	Authorised decision maker ¹⁰					
Decision	The Director of Communities, Housing and Environment - James Rogers					
	Signature		Date 08/6/23			

⁹ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 5.1. Significant operational decisions taken by officers are never available for call in. Key decisions are always available for call in unless they have been exempted from call in under rule 5.1.3. ¹⁰ Give the post title and name of the officer with appropriate delegated authority to take the decision.